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Filed: February 26, 2004)
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For: DIELECTRIC BARRIER LAYER) Confirmation No.: 5786
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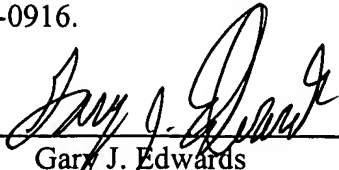
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On November 1, 2006, Applicants filed by express mail a Request for Continued Examination Transmittal, Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO/SB/08, and fourteen cited documents. A postcard stamped by the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) on November 1, 2006, showing receipt of these documents by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is attached as paper no. 2 of this submission. After continuous review of private PAIR, such filing has not been entered by the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office. In an abundance of caution, Applicants resubmit the documents previously filed on November 1, 2006, for entry into the above-referenced application. Applicants request entry of this filing into the above-referenced application to allow for immediate action by the Examiner.

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1. Request for Continued Examination Transmittal with authorization to charge the fee to deposit account (1 page);
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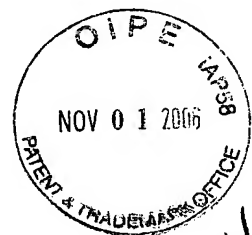
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